

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

***ONE-HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
2019***

WEEKLY COMMITTEE CALENDAR



GLEN CASADA, SPEAKER

Week of March 18, 2019

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House Committee and Sub-Committee Schedule

Monday

	I	II	III	IV	V
9:00	Budget Hearings				
1:00			Pensions & Insurance		
2:00	Gov Op				
2:30		Consumer			
5:00	SESSION HOUSE CHAMBER				

Tuesday

	I	II	III	IV	V
8:00	C & R (TBA)				
8:30					
9:00	Health	Children & Family			
9:30					
10:00					
10:30	Property & Casualty	State	Transportation	Higher Ed	
11:00					
11:30					
12:00	Insurance	Ag Sub	Safety & Funding	Curriculum, Testing, & Innovation	
12:30					
1:00					
1:30	Naming & Designating	Facilities, Licenses & Regulations	Commerce		
2:00					
2:30					
3:00	Finance	Infrastructure		Employee	
3:30					
4:00					
4:30		Civil	Education Administration	Corrections	Cities & Counties

Wednesday

	I	II	III	IV	V
8:00			Budget Hearings		
8:30	Education				
8:45		Constitutional Protections			
9:00				Elections	
10:00					
11:00	Property & Planning	Mental Health & Substance Abuse	Finance Sub		
11:30					
12:00					
12:30	Judiciary	TennCare		Public Service & Employees	
1:00					
1:30					
2:00	Local	Public Health	Agriculture	Consumer Sub	
3:00					
3:30	Life & Health	Criminal	Departments & Agencies	K-12	
5:00					

Thursday

	I	II	III	IV	V
8:00	C & R (TBA)				
9:00	SESSION HOUSE CHAMBER				
11:00					

Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

Wednesday, March 20, 2019- House Hearing Room III - 2:00 PM

Halford, Chair; Todd, Vice-Chair;

Chism, Clemmons, Holt, Hulsey, Keisling, Marsh, Moody, Reedy, Stewart

HB 0532 by *Hill T (SB 0358 by *Niceley, Bailey)

Milk, Dairy Products - As introduced, specifies that dairy product producers holding a dairy plant license are permitted to produce and sell raw butter. - Amends TCA Title 53, Chapter 3.

HB 0367 by *Hall, Doggett (SB 1385 by *Bell)

Game and Fish Laws - As introduced, requires wildlife resources agency to issue permanent sport combination hunting and fishing licenses upon payment of a one-time \$10 fee to honorably discharged veterans of the United States armed forces. - Amends TCA Title 70.

HB 0503 by *Eldridge (SB 0918 by *Southerland)

Regional Authorities and Special Districts - As introduced, allows the East Tennessee regional agribusiness marketing authority to develop, market, and promote facilities for warehousing, distribution, light manufacturing, and agribusiness purposes, and enter lease purchase agreements by a two-thirds (2/3) majority vote by the board, and removes tax exempt status for any ETRAMA property sold under a lease purchase agreement. - Amends TCA Title 64, Chapter 10, Part 1.

HB 0355 by *Cooper (SB 0418 by *Kyle)

Food and Food Products - As introduced, creates a task force to study the development of initiatives to reduce the waste of food in this state. - Amends TCA Title 53 and Title 68.

HB 0250 by *Freeman (SB 0342 by *Lundberg)

Tennessee Fish & Wildlife Commission - As introduced, enables wildlife resource officers to authorize payroll deductions for the payment of membership dues for organizations that meet certain criteria. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 23 and Title 70.

HB 0259 by *Marsh (SB 0916 by *Southerland)

Water Pollution - As introduced, prohibits requiring that an impact evaluation necessary for the issuance of a discharge permit for a transportation project include an evaluation of alternative locations, routes, or alignments. - Amends TCA Title 69, Chapter 3, Part 1.

Commerce Committee

Tuesday, March 19, 2019- House Hearing Room III - 1:30 PM

Hill T, Chair; Doggett, Vice-Chair;

Boyd, Calfee, Camper, Chism, Hakeem, Haston, Hazlewood, Holsclaw, Hurt,
Johnson C, Marsh, Moon, Powell, Powers, Staples, Wright

HB 0353 by *Daniel (SB 0571 by *Bowling, Niceley)

Professions and Occupations - As introduced, allows persons who receive certified occupational training as a prisoner or a student in a high school technical training class to receive equivalent credit toward an occupational license relating to the training received. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 6, Part 1; Title 37; Title 38; Title 41; Title 49; Title 62 and Title 63.

HB 0304 by *Bricken, Johnson C, Hill T (SB 0384 by *Lundberg, Bowling)

Licenses - As introduced, exempts members of the armed forces stationed within this state and their spouses from licensure requirements to practice professions and occupations regulated by the department of commerce and insurance and the department of health, subject to meeting certain requirements to practice. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 13; Title 62; Title 63 and Title 68, Chapter 1, Part 1.

HB 0172 by *Marsh, Carter, Whitson (SB 0210 by *Haile, Bowling)

Cooperatives - As introduced, increases the amount of time members of a cooperative have to return ballots to elect directors of the cooperative by mail from three to five business days. - Amends TCA Title 65, Chapter 25.

HB 0673 by *Garrett (SB 1174 by *Swann)

Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced, specifies that the rules that the commissioner of commerce and insurance adopts in accordance with the Insurers Rehabilitation and Liquidation Act must be promulgated in accordance with the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act. - Amends TCA Title 56.

HB 0743 by *Powers (SB 1382 by *Yager)

Fireworks - As introduced, requires the state fire marshal to post notice in a newspaper of general circulation once a week for four, instead of three, consecutive weeks when fireworks are seized in the county in order that the identity of the owner can be determined. - Amends TCA Title 8; Title 39; Title 67 and Title 68.

HB 0967 by *Cochran (SB 0432 by *Bell, Bailey)

Funeral Directors and Embalmers - As introduced, authorizes operators of crematory facilities who provide free services for the cremation of human remains to receive a refund of the permit fee paid for such services. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 5; Title 63 and Title 68, Chapter 2.

HB 1182 by *Keisling (SB 1013 by *Johnson)

Debt Adjustors and Bill Collectors - As introduced, enacts the "Debt Resolution Services Act." - Amends TCA Title 47.

HB 1190 by *Terry, Jernigan, White (SB 1393 by *Bell)

Landlord and Tenant - As introduced, establishes process for landlords to verify need of tenants and prospective tenants to have pet policies waived to accommodate the need for a service or support animal; creates penalties for misrepresentation. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 21; Title 13, Chapter 20; Title 33; Title 39; Title 44, Chapter 17; Title 44, Chapter 8, Part 4; Title 63; Title 66 and Title 68.

HB 1338 by *Sparks, Holt (SB 0850 by *Hensley)

Business Organizations - As introduced, reduces the amount in fees charged to a foreign LLC transacting business in the state without a certificate of authority; exempts from the application of such fees certain foreign LLCs that the state has already granted a certificate of sales and use tax exemption or certificate of registration, or otherwise has formally and in writing acknowledged the company's authority to conduct business in this state. - Amends TCA Title 48, Chapter 249, Part 9.

HB 1073 by *Sanderson (SB 0543 by *Gardenhire)

Personal Property - As introduced, revises provisions governing notice for lien enforcement under the Tennessee Self-Service Storage Facility Act. - Amends TCA Title 66, Chapter 31.

HB 0261 by *Daniel (SB 0196 by *Kelsey)

State Government - As introduced, makes various changes to the Right to Earn a Living Act, including requiring entry regulations, public service restrictions, and statutes to be demonstrably necessary and carefully tailored to fulfill a legitimate public health or safety objective, and allowing persons to petition applicable licensing authorities and bring civil actions when such standard is not met. - Amends TCA Title 1; Title 4; Title 7; Title 38; Title 62; Title 63 and Title 67.

HB 0797 by *Vaughan, Carr (SB 1361 by *Yager)

Licenses - As introduced, requires the Tennessee auctioneer commission to post the names of persons whose licenses have been suspended, revoked, or not renewed as a result of fraud and other violations. - Amends TCA Title 35, Chapter 5; Title 55, Chapter 17, Part 1 and Title 62, Chapter 19.

HB 0614 by *Griffey (SB 1167 by *Hensley)

Landlord and Tenant - As introduced, requires a landlord to provide local governmental agencies responsible for enforcing building codes the landlord's email address in addition to the landlord's name, telephone number, and physical address. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 62 and Title 66.

HB 1265 by *Holt, Littleton, Daniel, Hill T, Eldridge, Keisling, Hicks, Faison, Williams, Cepicky, Hardaway (SB 0513 by *Roberts)

Economic and Community Development - As introduced, enacts the "Fair Accountability and Clarity in Tax Subsidies Act." - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 67.

HB 0271 by *Gant, Hill T, Cepicky, Coley, Ramsey, Hill M, Doggett, Lamberth, Powers, Powell (SB 0324 by *Johnson)

Contractors - As introduced, prohibits the inclusion of a condition precedent for payment clause in construction contracts that precludes a prime contractor from having to pay a remote contractor for services rendered until the prime contractor is paid by the construction owner client. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 6; Title 66, Chapter 11 and Title 66, Chapter 34.

HB 1113 by *Curcio, Hill T, Howell, Holt (SB 0709 by *Stevens)

Trade Regulation - As introduced, increases the period in which a transportation network company must maintain records relevant to a rider complaint regarding a driver being under the influence of drugs or alcohol during a trip from two years to 30 months. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 12; Title 13; Title 42; Title 54; Title 55; Title 56; Title 62; Title 65; Title 66; Title 67 and Title 68.

HB 0602 by *Marsh (SB 1443 by *Bailey)

Local Government, General - As introduced, prohibits a local government from requiring an alarm systems contractor or business to acquire permits for the operation of alarm systems; prohibits local governments from imposing fines or fees on an alarm systems contractor or business for false alarms. - Amends TCA Title 7 and Title 62, Chapter 32.

HB 0604 by *Marsh (SB 0532 by *Briggs)

Public Utilities - As introduced, allows an acquiring public utility that acquires a selling utility to request that the Tennessee public utility commission use certain procedures to establish the ratemaking rate base of that selling utility at the time when it is acquired by the acquiring utility. - Amends TCA Title 65.

HB 1281 by *Hill T (SB 1414 by *Bell)

Utilities, Utility Districts - As introduced, permits the utility management review board to authorize the voluntary sale of all or part of the assets of a utility district to a public utility if certain conditions are met. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 82, Part 7 and Section 65-4-101.

Consumer and Human Resources Committee

Monday, March 18, 2019- House Hearing Room II - 2:30 PM

Boyd, Chair; Bricken, Vice-Chair;

Cochran, Coley, Cooper, Freeman, Hawk, Holsclaw, Russell, Sparks, Thompson

HB 1021 by *Lynn, Carter, Crawford, Sparks, Hawk, Lamberth, Sexton J (SB 0431 by *Bell)

County Government - As introduced, extends from 90 to 120 days the period by which a county legislative body must file a revised county district boundary map with the county clerk, secretary of state, and comptroller of the treasury. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 13; Title 53; Title 62; Title 67 and Title 68.

HB 0539 by *Howell (SB 0466 by *Roberts)

Employees, Employers - As introduced, requires the consideration of the 20-factor test in IRS Revenue Ruling 87-41 to determine whether an employer-employee relationship exists in certain employment arrangements. - Amends TCA Title 50.

HB 1245 by *Byrd, Sparks (SB 0754 by *Hensley)

Consumer Protection - As introduced, increases from \$10,000 to \$25,000 the civil penalty amount per violation that the attorney general and reporter may bring in an action against a person who commits the offense of caller identification spoofing; clarifies that each call received by a subscriber wherein the caller identification information is misleading or inaccurate constitutes a separate violation for purposes of imposing the civil penalty. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 39; Title 47, Chapter 18 and Title 65.

HB 1439 by *Garrett (SB 1176 by *Dickerson)

Tickets, Admission - As introduced, requires a ticket reseller using a tentative ticket policy to make certain disclosures during a resale transaction of tickets that are not owned or possessed by the reseller, or under a contract for transfer to the reseller; requires the reseller to provide a refund if unsuccessful in securing the tickets; deems a violation to be a violation of the Tennessee Consumer Protection Act of 1977. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 47.

HB 0856 by *Parkinson (SB 0815 by *Akbari)

Employees, Employers - As introduced, adds private employers to the types of employers subject to the requirements of the Healthy Workplace Act. - Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 1.

Education

Wednesday, March 20, 2019- House Hearing Room I - 8:30 AM

White , Chair; Haston, Vice-Chair;

Baum, Byrd, Cepicky, Cochran, Coley, DeBerry, Dixie, Dunn, Hodges, Hurt, Leatherwood, Love, Moody, Parkinson, Ragan, Rudder, Sexton J, Vaughan, Weaver, Williams, Windle

[HB 0934](#) by *Lamberth, Gant, Moody (SB 0790 by *Johnson, Bell, Gresham)

Education, Dept. of - As introduced, makes various changes to the state's special education laws; transfers, from the state board of education to the department of education, control over the state's special schools. - Amends TCA Section 4-5-322; Title 49, Chapter 10 and Title 49, Chapter 50.

[HB 0944](#) by *Lamberth, Gant, Baum, White (SB 0800 by *Johnson, Gresham, Crowe)

Education - As introduced, establishes the Governor's Civics Seal to recognize public schools and local education agencies implementing high-quality civic education programs. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 10.

[HB 1083](#) by *White , Hardaway (SB 0836 by *Akbari)

Schools, Charter - As introduced, exempts a public charter school that has not been in operation for more than four years from having the school's charter agreement revoked or denied renewal by the school's chartering authority and from having to cease operations immediately following the close of the school year in which the school was identified as a priority school. - Amends TCA Section 49-13-122.

[HB 0241](#) by *Dunn (SB 0166 by *Gresham)

Local Education Agencies - As introduced, specifies that a student may only enroll in two course access program courses per school year, unless additional courses are approved by the student's home LEA, and that students must pay all tuition and fees required for any additional courses taken during the same year; requires a home LEA to pay the required tuition and fees to a host LEA for the first two course access program courses in which a student is enrolled per school year. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 18.

HB 0788 by *Dunn (SB 1251 by *Gresham)

Education - As introduced, makes various changes to state education laws; revises certain duties of the commissioner of education; transfers certain duties from the department of education to local boards of education; transfers certain duties from the state board of education to local education agencies. - Amends TCA Title 49.

HB 0949 by *Lamberth, Gant, White , Powers, Griffey, Doggett, Cepicky, DeBerry (SB 0805 by *Johnson)

Scholarships and Financial Aid - As introduced, enacts the Governor's Investment in Vocational Education Act; specifies that financial assistance received for all dual enrollment courses attempted after the fourth dual enrollment course reduces any subsequent award of the Tennessee HOPE scholarship. - Amends TCA Section 49-4-930.

HB 0940 by *Lamberth, Gant, White (SB 0796 by *Johnson, Kelsey)

Schools, Charter - As introduced, changes, from December 1 to December 31, the annual date by which the state board of education is required to publicly report the total amount of authorizer fees collected in the previous school year and the authorizing obligations fulfilled using the fee. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 13.

HB 0681 by *Helton, Rudder, Littleton, Cepicky, White , Hurt, Tillis (SB 0625 by *Watson)

Public Funds and Financing - As introduced, revises the Volunteer Public Education Trust Fund Act of 1985; designates the commissioner of education and state treasurer as trustees of the fund. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 3, Part 4.

HB 0945 by *Lamberth, Gant, White , DeBerry (SB 0801 by *Johnson, Haile)

Education, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the department to submit an annual report to the education committees of both houses on school districts that offer a career and technical education program in agriculture, food, and natural resources, and on students enrolled in the program. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 11.

HB 0953 by *Lamberth, Gant, Ragan, White (SB 0809 by *Johnson)

Local Education Agencies - As introduced, requires an LEA to make certain interest inventories available to students in grades five through nine; requires an LEA to administer a career aptitude assessment to students in grades seven or eight. - Amends TCA Section 49-6-412.

HB 0946 by *Lamberth, Gant, Boyd, White (SB 0802 by *Johnson, Bowling)

Local Education Agencies - As introduced, requires an LEA to report to the department of education, for each year that the LEA receives an increase in state funding for instructional wages and salaries, how the increase was utilized by the LEA; requires the department of education to report the information to the BEP review committee; requires the BEP review committee to include the information in its annual report on the BEP. - Amends TCA Section 49-3-306.

HB 0177 by *Love (SB 0295 by *Akbari)

Local Education Agencies - As introduced, directs that any interest accruing on the balance of an LEA's dedicated education fund that remains unexpended at the end of a fiscal year must be returned to the fund balance and become part of the fund balance. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 3.

HJR 0205 by *Zachary

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Lynne "Michelle" Bowman, State Textbook and Instructional Materials Quality Commission -

HB 0196 by *Lafferty, Dunn (SB 0180 by *Massey)

Local Education Agencies - As introduced, reduces, from no less than four to no more than four, the number of high school students who may serve on a local board of education as advisory, nonvoting members; deletes the requirement that half of the high school students selected to serve on the board must be enrolled in the college preparatory track and half must be enrolled in the technology track. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 2.

HB 0736 by *Lafferty (SB 1260 by *Gresham)

Education - As introduced, requires the office of research and education accountability (OREA) to study whether community schools are providing effective on-the-job training opportunities to students and file a report containing the findings, conclusions, and recommendations from the study with the education committees of the general assembly no later than January 1, 2020. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6.

HB 1244 by *Byrd, Dunn (SB 0330 by *Hensley)

Education, Curriculum - As introduced, decreases, from "at least two" to "at least one", the number of physical education class meetings an LEA must require elementary school students to attend each full school week. - Amends TCA Section 49-6-1021.

HJR 0054 by *Sparks

General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position - Encourages schools, nonprofit organizations, and faith-based organizations to increase opportunities for mentorships and apprenticeships for students. -

HJR 0055 by *Sparks

General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position - Urges local education agencies to raise awareness of importance of positive male role models in schools. -

HB 0564 by *Dunn, Ragan (SB 0482 by *Gardenhire)

Local Education Agencies - As introduced, authorizes a local board of education to make payroll deduction for dues of professional employees' organizations available to its professional employees. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 2 and Title 49, Chapter 5.

HB 0070 by *Powers (SB 0020 by *Gresham)

Education - As introduced, extends the date of the repeal of the Virtual Public Schools Act from June 30, 2019, to June 30, 2023. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 16.

HB 0307 by *Powers (SB 1373 by *Yager)

Education, Curriculum - As introduced, requires the state board of education to approve a released time course offered by a local board of education for school credit as a special course that offers elective credits for each student who participates; requires instructors of a released time course offered for school credit to be licensed; prohibits the state board of education from requiring prior approval of the curriculum or textbooks of a released time course offered for school credit. - Amends TCA Title 49.

HB 0567 by *White (SB 0310 by *Massey, Yarbrow)

Education - As introduced, directs the Tennessee School for the Deaf, together with the West Tennessee School for the Deaf, to establish a two-year deaf mentor pilot project to assist families and agencies in implementing bilingual and bicultural home-based programming for young children who are deaf, hard of hearing, or deaf-blind. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 10, Part 9.

HB 0776 by *Ramsey (SB 1135 by *Swann, Watson)

Local Education Agencies - As introduced, requires, rather than encourages, all public middle and elementary schools to place one or more automated external defibrillator (AED) devices within the school. - Amends TCA Title 49 and Title 68, Chapter 140, Part 4.

HB 0215 by *Clemmons, Freeman (SB 0259 by *Kyle)

Local Education Agencies - As introduced, requires local education agencies to develop and implement a "Stop the Bleed" program that requires each school in the LEA to place a bleeding control kit within the school; requires the department of education to develop a bleeding control kit training program for LEA employees. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2 and Title 49, Chapter 6.

HB 0399 by *Parkinson, White , Byrd, Thompson (SB 1261 by *Gresham)

Education - As introduced, requires each local board of education and charter school governing body to adopt a comprehensive code of conduct for each school under the authority of the board or governing body that describes the types of behavior expected from all persons entering on school grounds. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6.

Finance, Ways, and Means Committee

Monday, March 18, 2019- House Hearing Room I - 9:00 AM

Lynn, Chair; Hazlewood, Vice-Chair;

Baum, Camper, Crawford, DeBerry, Gant, Hicks, Hill M, Holt, Kumar, Lamberth,
Ogles, Reedy, Sexton C, Shaw, Staples, Tillis, Windle, Zachary

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Dr. Cliff Lippard, Executive Director

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

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Mr. Greg Gonzales, Commissioner

Finance, Ways, and Means Committee

Tuesday, March 19, 2019- House Hearing Room I - 3:00 PM

Lynn, Chair; Hazlewood, Vice-Chair;

Baum, Camper, Crawford, DeBerry, Gant, Hicks, Hill M, Holt, Kumar, Lamberth, Ogles, Reedy, Sexton C, Shaw, Staples, Tillis, Windle, Zachary

HB 0634 by *Halford, Hill T (SB 1460 by *Bailey, Bowling)

Taxes, Sales - As introduced, exempts water furnished by a utility district and used exclusively in a farming operation from sales and use tax.
- Amends TCA Title 67.

HB 0531 by *Hill T, Moon, Griffey, Carr, Weaver, Howell, Potts, Russell, Lamar, Whitson, Calfee, Windle, Hicks, Shaw, Bricken, Tillis, Sexton C, Byrd (SB 1364 by *Yager, Niceley, Bowling, Swann, Bailey, Gresham, Haile, Hensley, Jackson, Kurita, Pody, Southerland, Stevens, Watson)

Highways, Roads and Bridges - As introduced, makes permanent the provision that is set to expire July 1, 2019, allowing counties to provide 2 percent matching funds for state-aid highway funds rather than 25 percent. - Amends TCA Section 54-4-404.

HB 1080 by *Rudd (SB 1198 by *White)

Taxes, Excise - As introduced, redefines "passive investment income" for family-owned noncorporate entities to include rents from commercial property for entities who qualified as an obligated member entity as of January 1, 2019. - Amends TCA Section 67-4-2008.

HB 0963 by *Smith, Daniel, Carter (SB 0902 by *Southerland)

Advertising - As introduced, requires certain outdoor advertising structures to obtain a permit or tag from the commissioner of transportation. - Amends TCA Title 54, Chapter 21, Part 1.

HB 0899 by *Sparks, DeBerry, Tillis, Hurt, Terry, Chism, Weaver, Moon, Crawford (SB 0925 by *Watson)

Taxes, Sales - As introduced, expands the exemption from sales tax on periodicals distributed twice monthly or on a biweekly or more frequent basis to periodicals distributed no less frequently than monthly. - Amends TCA Title 67.

HB 0925 by *Lamberth, Gant, Cepicky (SB 0781 by *Johnson, Niceley)

Mining and Quarrying - As introduced, relieves the commissioner of labor and workforce development of responsibilities concerning mine rescue operations; deletes statutes establishing the mine rescue corps within the department of labor and workforce development. - Amends TCA Title 59, Chapter 12.

HB 0187 by *Reedy, Todd, Byrd (SB 0446 by *Bell, Gresham, Jackson)

Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, enacts the "Second Amendment Civil Rights Act of 2019"; confers private rights of action upon a person to challenge government regulation of gun or sport shooting ranges. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17.

HB 0009 by *Staples, Helton (SB 0009 by *Briggs)

Tobacco, Tobacco Products - As introduced, authorizes Knox County and Knoxville to prohibit, by local ordinance, smoking on the grounds of any playground owned or operated by the local government. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17.

DEPARTMENT OF INTELLECTUAL AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

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Mr. Brad Turner, Commissioner

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Dr. Jeff McCord, Commissioner

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Mr. David Gerregano, Commissioner

Finance, Ways, and Means Committee

Wednesday, March 20, 2019- House Hearing Room III - 8:00 AM

Lynn, Chair; Hazlewood, Vice-Chair;

Baum, Camper, Crawford, DeBerry, Gant, Hicks, Hill M, Holt, Kumar, Lamberth,
Ogles, Reedy, Sexton C, Shaw, Staples, Tillis, Windle, Zachary

DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND HOMELAND SECURITY

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Mr. Jeff Long, Commissioner/Homeland Security Advisor

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Ms. Jennifer Nichols, Commissioner

TENNCARE/STRATEGIC HEALTH-CARE PROGRAMS

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Mr. Gabe Roberts, Deputy Commissioner

Government Operations Committee

Monday, March 18, 2019- House Hearing Room I - 2:00 PM

Daniel, Chair; Rudder, Vice-Chair;

Calfee, Camper, Dunn, Halford, Hardaway, Howell, Lafferty, Lamberth, Ragan,
Reedy, Sexton C, Stewart, Williams

[HB 0037](#) by *Whitson, Casada, Hawk, Love, Hazlewood, Helton, Carter, Gant, Weaver, Beck, Hicks, Hill M, Howell, Johnson G, Ogles, Jernigan, Zachary, Dixie, Lamberth, Clemmons, Cooper, Sherrell, Hall, Byrd, Van Huss (SB 0028 by *Crowe, Robinson, Kyle, Johnson, Reeves, Dickerson, Bowling, Massey)

Public Health - As introduced, creates the state Alzheimer's disease and related dementia advisory council. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 68, Chapter 11, Part 14 and Title 71.

[HB 0320](#) by *Littleton (SB 1185 by *White)

Barbers and/or Cosmetologists - As introduced, redefines "natural hair styling" and removes licensure requirement for engaging in natural hair styling as an occupation. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 3 and Title 62, Chapter 4.

[HB 1315](#) by *Windle (SB 1468 by *Bailey)

Health, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the department to seek a federal grant from the federal department of health and human services' health resources and services administration, or any other applicable entity, to develop a training program for certified nurse practitioners in treating and processing a minor who is a victim of certain sexual offenses; requires the training program to be free of charge for participants. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 38; Title 39; Title 63 and Title 68.

[HB 1275](#) by *Holt, Moody, Williams, Love (SB 1098 by *Dickerson)

Education - As introduced, requires an LEA to allocate prorated daily per pupil state and local funding to an out-of-state residential mental health facility if a student of the LEA is admitted to the facility and certain conditions are met. - Amends TCA Title 49.

HB 1359 by *Calfee, Ragan (SB 1351 by *Yager, McNally)

Taxes, Sales - As introduced, allocates state sales and use tax revenues from the construction of a uranium processing facility to an eligible industrial development corporation that submits a completed application to the commissioner of finance and administration together with an application fee in an amount established by the department; establishes requirements for such allocation. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6.

HB 0475 by *Daniel (SB 0143 by *Roberts, Crowe)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the state board of education to June 30, 2024. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 49, Chapter 1, Part 3.

HB 0476 by *Daniel (SB 0144 by *Roberts)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the energy efficient schools council to June 30, 2023; requires the council and the department of education to appear before sunset review committee in 2019 to discuss progress made in addressing findings in its 2018 audit. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 49, Chapter 17.

Health Committee

Tuesday, March 19, 2019- House Hearing Room I - 9:00 AM

Terry, Chair; Helton, Vice-Chair;

Byrd, Cooper, Dixie, Gant, Hall, Hill M, Jernigan, Kumar, Leatherwood, Miller, Sexton C, Sexton J, Sherrell, Smith, Van Huss, Vaughan, Whitson

[HB 0496](#) by *Hurt, Helton (SB 0053 by *Kelsey, Stevens, Bowling, Briggs, Crowe, Jackson, Niceley)

Professions and Occupations - As introduced, creates exemptions to licensure and certification requirements, as applicable, for certain health professionals who are participating in federal Innovative Readiness Training programs. - Amends TCA Title 58 and Title 63.

[HB 0966](#) by *Cochran, Zachary, Howell, Van Huss, Cepicky, Todd (SB 1389 by *Bell)

Death - As introduced, authorizes the development and use of a commemorative certificate of nonviable birth. - Amends TCA Title 63 and Title 68.

[HB 0322](#) by *Hakeem (SB 0272 by *Gardenhire, Crowe)

Boards and Commissions - As introduced, adds the speaker of the house of representatives and the speaker of the senate as permanent ex officio voting members of the Tennessee medical examiner advisory council. - Amends TCA Title 38, Chapter 7, Part 2.

[HB 1406](#) by *Powell, Jernigan (SB 1419 by *Dickerson)

Hearing and Hearing Aids - As introduced, allows the Tennessee council for the deaf, deaf-blind, and hard of hearing to submit its annual report and needs assessment to the governor and general assembly electronically. - Amends TCA Title 7; Title 9; Title 13; Title 24; Title 37; Title 40; Title 49; Title 50; Title 55; Title 60; Title 65 and Title 71.

[HB 1462](#) by *Casada, Gant, Sexton C, Terry (SB 0637 by *Johnson)

Hospitals and Health Care Facilities - As introduced, changes, from 10 days to 10 business days, the period within which an applicant for a certificate of need for a nonresidential substitution-based treatment center for opiate addiction must notify the chief executive officer of the county or municipality of the filing of the application if it involves a healthcare facility in which the county or municipality is the lessor of the facility or real property on which it sits. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 11, Part 16.

HB 0296 by *Hill M (SB 0467 by *Roberts)

Licenses - As introduced, exempts certain medical professionals from massage licensure requirements where massages for compensation are provided in the offices of such medical professionals by licensed massage therapists. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 18.

HB 0657 by *Hill M (SB 0609 by *Massey)

Medical Occupations - As introduced, permits dental hygienists to exercise prescriptive authority that is limited to fluoride agents, topical oral anesthetic agents, and nonsystemic oral antimicrobials under certain conditions; requires the board of dentistry to set educational and training requirements by rule; requires board to also determine allowable percentages of certain active ingredients in medications that may be prescribed by dental hygienists. - Amends TCA Title 53 and Title 63.

HB 0656 by *Hill M (SB 1060 by *Dickerson)

Drugs, Prescription - As introduced, specifies that within 10 days of receiving the nonresidential buprenorphine guidelines and standards a health-related board that licenses any practitioner authorized to prescribe buprenorphine must post such guidelines and standards on the board's website. - Amends TCA Title 33; Title 53; Title 63 and Title 68.

BUDGET PRESENTATIONS:
Department of Health
Bureau of TennCare

Insurance Committee

Tuesday, March 19, 2019- House Hearing Room I - 12:00 PM

Travis, Chair; Hall, Vice-Chair;

Cepicky, Gant, Garrett, Hill M, Hill T, Hodges, Jernigan, Lafferty, Miller, Powers, Rudd, Sexton C, Sparks, Smith, Terry, Thompson, Zachary

[HB 0874](#) by *Curcio (SB 0645 by *Roberts)

Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced, corrects a reference to the insurance and banking committee of the house of representatives by replacing it with a reference to the insurance committee of the house of representatives. - Amends TCA Title 56.

[HB 0571](#) by *Holsclaw (SB 0859 by *Crowe)

Financial Responsibility Law - As introduced, requires officers to request evidence of compliance with the financial responsibility law when a driver of a motor vehicle violates a motor vehicle equipment requirement. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 12 and Title 55, Chapter 9.

[HB 0527](#) by *Reedy (SB 1349 by *Yager)

Health Care - As introduced, decreases from five to three business days the amount of time that an ambulance service provider has to furnish to a patient or a patient's authorized representative a copy of the patient's run record or records upon request in writing by the patient or representative. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 7; Title 55; Title 56; Title 68 and Title 71.

[HB 0272](#) by *Gant, Travis (SB 1299 by *Pody)

Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced, broadens the manner and ability of insurers or insurance producers to pay referral fees to unlicensed persons. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 6 and Title 56, Chapter 8.

[HB 0184](#) by *Smith, Sexton C, Lamberth, Casada, Terry, Hill M, Dunn, Holt, Hill T, Lynn, Sanderson, Howell, Faison, Byrd, Zachary, Daniel, Holsclaw, Moon, Crawford, Rudd, DeBerry, Jernigan, Hulsey, Sparks, Carr, Johnson C, Boyd, Moody, Carter, Calfee, Weaver, Hicks (SB 0195 by *Massey, Swann, Jackson, Briggs, Pody, Bowling, White, Hensley, Yarbrow, Crowe, Niceley, Southerland)

Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, enacts the "Proton Therapy Access Act," which requires health insurance coverage to cover hypofractionated proton therapy in the same manner as it covers intensity modulated radiation therapy under certain conditions. - Amends TCA Title 8; Title 56 and Title 71.

Judiciary

Wednesday, March 20, 2019- House Hearing Room I - 12:30 PM

Curcio, Chair; Garrett, Vice-Chair;

Beck, Camper, Carter, Daniel, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Griffey, Howell, Hulsey, Johnson C, Lamberth, Littleton, Mitchell, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Rudder, Sanderson, Sherrell, Towns, Van Huss

Budget Hearing: OPCD

A Budget Presentation from the Tennessee Office of the Post-Conviction Defender.

Budget Hearing: TPDC

A Budget Presentation from the Tennessee District Public Defenders Conference.

[HB 0123](#) by ***Terry, Rudd, Baum, Sparks, Stewart, Sherrell (SB 0267 by *Reeves)**

Fire Prevention and Investigation - As introduced, extends the same police powers that municipal fire investigators have to certain salaried county fire investigators. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-1315 and Title 68, Chapter 102.

[HB 0213](#) by ***Travis (SB 1377 by *Yager)**

Marriage - As introduced, authorizes members and former members of the general assembly to solemnize marriages. - Amends TCA Section 36-3-301.

[HB 0156](#) by ***Whitson (SB 0264 by *Niceley)**

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, creates the Class E felony of tampering with, destroying, or interfering with any pipeline, pumping station, or equipment used to transport, store, or distribute crude or refined petroleum products or natural gas. - Amends TCA Section 39-14-411.

[HB 0545](#) by ***Boyd (SB 1401 by *Bell)**

Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, increases from 21 to 30 the number of calendar days within which a person granted an order of protection may apply for a temporary handgun carry permit from the department of safety after an order of protection has been granted. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13.

HB 1455 by *Ramsey, Clemmons (SB 1124 by *Briggs, Robinson)

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, prohibits a court from sentencing a defendant convicted of first degree murder to death if the defendant proves by a preponderance of the evidence that, at the time of the offense, the defendant had a severe mental illness. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40.

HB 0569 by *Holsclaw (SB 0861 by *Crowe)

Public Defenders - As introduced, allows district investigators to include experience as a criminal defense investigator for prior service credits. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 14, Part 1.

HB 0113 by *Sparks (SB 0593 by *Reeves)

Statutes of Limitations and Repose - As introduced, extends the statute of limitation for prosecution of second degree murder from 15 years from the offense to at any time after the offense is committed. - Amends TCA Section 39-13-210 and Title 40, Chapter 2.

HB 0061 by *Jernigan (SB 0226 by *Lundberg)

Children - As introduced, creates an exception to the presumption of parentage if a man is physically separated from his wife in a way that prevents physical contact for more than 300 consecutive days immediately preceding the birth of the child, or if it is a medical impossibility that the man could father the child. - Amends TCA Title 24, Chapter 7; Title 36, Chapter 2 and Title 68, Chapter 3.

HB 0867 by *DeBerry (SB 1403 by *Bell)

Child Abuse - As introduced, requires the commissioner of children's services to provide a report to the district attorney general with jurisdiction following a fatality or near fatality of certain children; requires an immediate investigation into a report of child abuse from a party tasked with the education or health and welfare of the child. - Amends TCA Title 37.

HB 0941 by *Lamberth, Gant (SB 0797 by *Johnson, Dickerson, Akbari, Robinson)

Expunction - As introduced, removes \$180 fee for an individual petitioning the court for an expunction of certain criminal offenses; removes \$350 fee for a defendant applying for expunction of an offense following the completion of a diversion program. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 32 and Title 40, Chapter 35.

[HB 0943](#) by ***Lamberth, Gant, Curcio, Camper, Ogles, Doggett (SB 0799 by *Johnson, Stevens, Crowe)**

Salaries and Benefits - As introduced, reinstates service credits and salary increases that were suspended during 2009-2010 for assistant public defenders and assistant district attorneys. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 14, Part 1 and Title 8, Chapter 7, Part 2.

[HB 0729](#) by ***Lamberth (SB 0667 by *Haile)**

Courts - As introduced, sets the minimum compensation payable to officially designated and auxiliary court reporters designated as licensed court reporters by the Tennessee board of court reporting at the rates of \$350 per full-day appearance and \$175 per half-day appearance. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 23; Title 20, Chapter 9, Part 6; Title 20, Chapter 9, Part 1 and Title 40, Chapter 14, Part 3.

[HB 0942](#) by ***Lamberth, Gant, Farmer, White , Love, Curcio, Camper, Ogles, Doggett, Cepicky, Terry (SB 0798 by *Johnson, Yager)**

Controlled Substances - As introduced, increases the penalty to a Class B felony for 15 grams or more or a Class A felony for 150 grams or more of fentanyl, carfentanil, remifentanil, alfentanil, thiafentanil, or any fentanyl derivative or analogue. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 4.

[HB 0825](#) by ***Sherrell, Curcio (SB 0681 by *Gardenhire)**

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, increases the penalty for theft of property that includes a firearm valued at less than \$2,500 to a Class D felony. - Amends TCA Title 37; Title 39 and Title 40, Chapter 35.

[HB 0642](#) by ***Carter (SB 0578 by *Gardenhire)**

Public Defenders - As introduced, creates the district public defender appellate division, including authorization for six appellate attorney positions. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 14.

[HB 1295](#) by ***Farmer (SB 1341 by *Massey)**

Domestic Violence - As introduced, requires the domestic violence coordinating council, in coordination with the administrative office of the courts, to revise the affidavit of firearms dispossession form to require only a signature from a defendant convicted of domestic violence. - Amends TCA Section 39-13-111.

HB 0973 by *Littleton, Curcio, Doggett (SB 0611 by *Massey, Yager)

Domestic Violence - As introduced, creates a Class A misdemeanor offense of persuading or influencing a witness or prospective witness, in a manner that does not meet the definition of coercion, to testify falsely, withhold truthful information, or to elude legal process in a case involving a domestic abuse victim. - Amends TCA Title 29; Title 35; Title 36; Title 37; Title 38; Title 39 and Title 40.

HB 0972 by *Littleton, Curcio (SB 0597 by *Lundberg)

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, creates the Class C felony offense of communicating a threat of public harm; authorizes juvenile detention for juveniles communicating a threat of public harm. - Amends TCA Title 37; Title 39, Chapter 13; Title 39, Chapter 17 and Title 40, Chapter 35.

HB 0283 by *Littleton, Doggett, Curcio, Gant, Moody, Calfee, Weaver, Smith, Hazlewood, Helton, Howell, Potts, Marsh, Tillis, DeBerry, Garrett, Sanderson, Holt, Whitson, Powers, Kumar, Van Huss, Rudd, Staples, Beck, Ramsey, Windle, Sexton J, Eldridge, Lafferty, Miller, Dunn, Holsclaw, Love, Towns, Camper, White, Sherrell, Ogles, Griffey, Hulsey, Byrd, Sexton C, Lamberth, Travis, Zachary, Cepicky, Carr, Wright, Moon, Russell, Faison, Hill T, Reedy, Hicks, Hall, Bricken, Casada, Todd, Terry, Powell, Johnson G, Coley, Hodges, Rudder, Vaughan, Shaw, Cochran, Parkinson, Carter, Williams, Haston, Crawford, Halford, Boyd, Ragan, Hill M, Johnson C, Hawk, Lamar, Dixie, Freeman, Baum, Farmer, Keisling, Jernigan, Leatherwood, Hurt, Mitchell, Daniel, Thompson, Sparks, Chism, Clemmons (SB 0290 by *White)

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, increases the punishment for a conviction of aggravated rape of a child from 15 to 60 years in prison and a fine of up to \$50,000 to life in prison without the possibility of parole. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13 and Title 40, Chapter 35.

HB 0677 by *Garrett (SB 0472 by *Haile)

Mental Illness - As introduced, requires clerks to report the race, sex, and, if known, social security number of a person judicially committed or adjudicated a mental defective to the federal bureau of investigation-NCIS index and the department of safety for use in determining a person's eligibility to purchase firearms; requires such information to be confidential. - Amends TCA Title 16; Title 33 and Section 38-6-109.

HB 0761 by *Garrett, Whitson, Curcio (SB 1342 by *Massey)

DUI Offenses - As introduced, revises provisions governing blood and breath tests for determining the presence of drugs and alcohol. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13; Title 40, Chapter 7, Part 1 and Title 55, Chapter 10, Part 4.

HB 0393 by *Garrett (SB 0456 by *Stevens)

Process, Service of - As introduced, requires sheriff or constable serving process for actions in general sessions court to be identified by name and agency on the service return or in a supplemental affidavit; requires a private process server to provide a mailing or physical address on the service return or in a supplemental affidavit; clarifies failure to include the required contact information of process server will not invalidate effectiveness of service. - Amends TCA Section 16-15-901.

HB 1032 by *Hurt, Daniel, Garrett (SB 0275 by *Gardenhire)

Judgments - As introduced, enacts the "Uniform Foreign-Country Money Judgments Recognition Act." - Amends TCA Title 25 and Title 26.

HB 0502 by *Eldridge (SB 0911 by *Southerland)

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, enhances the penalty for destruction or alteration of governmental records from a Class A misdemeanor to a Class E felony. - Amends TCA Title 39.

HB 1003 by *Beck (SB 0955 by *Yarbro)

Civil Procedure - As introduced, allows a party or non-party making a filing with a court to redact portions of a person's social security number, taxpayer identification number, birth date, or financial account number or the name of a minor when included in the filing. - Amends TCA Section 10-7-504; Title 19; Title 20; Title 21; Title 24; Title 27 and Title 28.

HB 0594 by *Beck, Carter (SB 1262 by *Gresham)

Tort Liability and Reform - As introduced, declares settlement agreement provisions that have purpose or effect of concealing details relating to claim of sexual harassment or sexual assault as void and unenforceable and contrary to public policy of this state if settlement agreement is entered into by governmental entity; maintains confidentiality of victim's identity. - Amends TCA Title 20 and Title 29.

HB 0608 by *Curcio, Littleton, Reedy, Griffey (SB 0512 by *Roberts, Kurita)

Courts - As introduced, adds an additional trial court in the 23rd judicial district comprised of Cheatham, Dickson, Houston, Humphreys, and Stewart counties effective September 1, 2019, with the additional judge or chancellor to be appointed by the governor; authorizes the voters of the 23rd judicial district to elect the additional judge or chancellor at the August 2020 general election to serve until September 1, 2022. - Amends TCA Title 8; Title 16; Title 17 and Title 18.

HB 0836 by *Rudd, Ragan (SB 1304 by *Pody)

Adoption - As introduced, prohibits a private licensed child-placing agency from being required to perform, assist, consent to, refer, or participate in any child placement for foster care or adoption that would violate the agency's written religious or moral convictions. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 1, Part 1.

HB 1151 by *Ragan, Griffey (SB 1297 by *Pody)

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, expands the offense of indecent exposure to include incidents occurring in a restroom, locker room, dressing room, or shower, designated for single-sex, multi-person use, if the offender is a member of the opposite sex than the sex designated for use. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40.

SJR 0001 by *Yager, Bowling, Gresham (SJR 0001 Carter)

Constitutional Amendments - Proposes amendment to Article VI, Section 5 to provide for the selection of the attorney general and reporter for the state with nomination by the supreme court and confirmation by the general assembly. -

Local Committee

Wednesday, March 20, 2019- House Hearing Room I - 2:00 PM

Crawford, Chair; Wright, Vice-Chair;

Calfee, Carr, Carter, Faison, Freeman, Hakeem, Helton, Johnson G, Lamar, Moon,
Ramsey, Rudd, Tillis, Travis

HB 0280 by *Cepicky (SB 0408 by *Stevens)

Taxes, Ad Valorem - As introduced, authorizes property tax exemption for certain nonprofit entities that occupy and use real property owned by another tax-exempt institution; makes other related revisions. - Amends TCA Section 67-5-207 and Section 67-5-212.

HB 0404 by *Hurt (SB 0407 by *Stevens)

Taxes, Real Property - As introduced, specifies that the comptroller of the treasury is the assessing authority for telecommunications tower properties that are owned by a public utility company. - Amends TCA Section 67-5-514.

HB 0543 by *White (SB 0321 by *Jackson)

Taxes, Ad Valorem - As introduced, requires that tax deeds include as an exhibit in a delinquent tax lawsuit, a detailed description of the steps taken by the delinquent tax attorney to provide notice to all owners and interested parties; makes other related revisions governing delinquent tax proceedings. - Amends TCA Section 13-6-102; Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 21; Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 24 and Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 25.

HB 0630 by *Bricken (SB 0567 by *Bowling)

Taxes, Hotel Motel - As enacted, authorizes Coffee County to levy a privilege tax of up to 5 percent upon the privilege of occupancy by a two-thirds vote of its governing body. - Amends TCA Section 67-4-1425.

HB 0316 by *Hicks, Carr, Russell, Gant (SB 1442 by *Bailey, White)

Firefighters - As introduced, creates a presumption that certain conditions or impairments of full-time firefighters caused by certain cancers occurred in the course of employment unless the contrary is shown by competent medical evidence. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 51, Part 2.

HB 0635 by *Travis (SB 0600 by *Jackson)

Local Government, General - As introduced, requires local governments to provide a secure electronic interactive system for invitations to bid, requests for proposals and other offers; exempts certain local governments. - Amends TCA Title 12, Chapter 4, Part 1.

HB 0204 by *Crawford (SB 0072 by *Swann)

Municipal Government - As introduced, requires municipalities to contract with a bank for the deposit of municipal funds; requires periodic evaluation of such contracts. - Amends TCA Title 6.

HB 0230 by *Crawford (SB 0263 by *Niceley)

Real Property - As introduced, clarifies that a contract transferring a time-share is voidable by the purchaser for 10 days from the date of the signing of the contract, not 15 days, if the purchaser made an on-site inspection of a component site of the time-share project. - Amends TCA Section 66-32-114.

Naming, Designating, & Private Acts Committee

Tuesday, March 19, 2019- House Hearing Room I - 1:30 PM

Windle, Chair; Hawk, Vice-Chair;

Carr, Clemmons, Curcio, Dunn, Faison, Johnson G, Lynn, Mitchell, Ragan, Sparks,
White , Williams

[HB 0912](#) by *Keisling (SB 0473 by *Haile)

State Symbols - As introduced, designates the poem "My Tennessee," written by Michael McDonald in 1984, as an official state poem of Tennessee. - Amends TCA Section 4-1-303.

[HB 1501](#) by *Lamberth, Weaver, Garrett (SB 1510 by *Haile)

Sumner County - Subject to local approval, redesignates the title of "county executive" to "county mayor." - Amends Chapter 137 of the Private Acts of 2004.

[HB 1502](#) by *Boyd (SB 1512 by *Pody)

School Districts, Special - Pursuant to the request of the Tenth special school district of Wilson County, permits the district to issue bonds or notes in an amount of \$50 million or less and to issue bond anticipation notes in an amount of \$50 million or less. - Amends Chapter 330 of the Acts of 1901.

[HB 1503](#) by *Williams (SB 1513 by *Bailey)

Putnam County - Subject to local approval, redesignates the title of "county executive" to "county mayor." - Amends Chapter 126 of the Private Acts of 2004.

State Committee

Tuesday, March 19, 2019- House Hearing Room II - 10:30 AM

Keisling, Chair; Eldridge, Vice-Chair;

Beck, Bricken, Farmer, Halford, Hawk, Hicks, Hulsey, Lafferty, Littleton, Love,
Powell, Ramsey, Sanderson, Shaw, Staples, Tillis, Todd

HJR 0122 by *Lamberth

Constitutional Amendments - Proposes an amendment to the Constitution of Tennessee to provide for the exercise of powers and duties of the governor during disability. -

HB 0684 by *Lamberth (SB 0642 by *Johnson)

Tourist Development, Dept. of - As introduced, increases the size of the Tennessee sports hall of fame board of directors from 25 members to 26 members by increasing from eight to nine the number of gubernatorial appointees; increases from eight to nine the maximum number of members from one grand division; administratively attaches the board to the department. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2; Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 22 and Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 54.

HB 0649 by *Jernigan (SB 0483 by *Haile)

Historical Commission - As introduced, vacates and reconstitutes commission; reduces number of members on commission to 13 voting members and four ex officio nonvoting members; revises qualifications for membership. - Amends TCA Title 4.

HB 0203 by *Crawford (SB 0293 by *Kelsey)

Comptroller, State - As introduced, authorizes the comptroller of the treasury to audit private probation service providers; allows the comptroller to appoint a certified public accountant to conduct the audit; requires the probation service provider to pay for the audit. - Amends TCA Section 40-35-302.

HB 1177 by *Weaver (SB 1371 by *Yager, Pody)

Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, grants a retirement allowance to a surviving spouse who is a designated beneficiary if the deceased TCRS member is vested instead of requiring that the member have 10 years of creditable service. - Amends TCA Section 8-36-109.

SJR 0058 by *Pody, Gresham, Kelsey, White (SJR 0058 Weaver, Eldridge, Sherrell)

General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position - Expresses support for the Nation of Israel. -

HB 1363 by *Windle (SB 1484 by *Bailey)

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, authorizes Livingston to designate Central Park as an urban park center for purposes of consumption of alcoholic beverages on the premises by a two-thirds vote of its governing body. - Amends TCA Section 57-4-102.

HB 0551 by *Hazlewood, Hill T, Marsh, Lynn, Holt, Wright, Carr, DeBerry, Camper, Powell, Shaw, Beck, Ramsey, Love, Staples, Littleton, Tillis (SB 0624 by *Watson, Dickerson, Reeves, White, Yager)

Tennessee Emergency Management Agency (TEMA) - As introduced, enacts the "Facilitating Business Rapid Response to State Declared Disaster Act." - Amends TCA Title 58; Title 62; Title 67 and Title 68.

HB 1187 by *Chism, Dixie, Littleton, Powell, Van Huss, Halford, Moon, Sparks, Staples (SB 0844 by *Gilmore)

Veterans - As enacted, eliminates the fee for interment of an eligible veteran's spouse in a state veterans' cemetery. - Amends TCA Title 46, Chapter 6.

HB 1327 by *Chism, White , Parkinson, Miller, Cooper, Camper, Vaughan (SB 0498 by *Akbari)

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, authorizes leases entered into between Memphis and business owners holding a restaurant license from the alcoholic beverage commission to include provisions where the rent is calculated on gross sales, including gross sales of alcohol, of the business; prohibits a county from denying the issuance or renewal of a beer permit on the basis of a similar lease. - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 1; Title 57, Chapter 4 and Title 57, Chapter 5.

HB 1303 by *Baum (SB 1061 by *Dickerson)

Education, Higher - As introduced, requires the department of correction, in partnership with the Tennessee higher education commission and the board of regents, to develop and submit to the general assembly an annual report detailing the higher education opportunities available to incarcerated individuals in this state. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 41; Title 49 and Title 50.

HB 0748 by *Powers (SB 0692 by *Jackson)

Law Enforcement - As introduced, increases from \$600 per officer to \$1,000 per officer the annual police pay supplement for completion of in-service training. - Amends TCA Title 9; Title 38 and Title 55.

HJR 0151 by *Towns, Camper

Constitutional Amendments - Proposes an amendment to Article I, Section 33 of the Constitution of Tennessee to clarify that slavery and involuntary servitude are prohibited in this state, but that duly convicted inmates can work while incarcerated. -

HB 0495 by *Halford, Hurt (SB 0172 by *Swann)

Secretary of State - As introduced, clarifies only a natural person or individual may participate in fantasy sports contests offered by fantasy sports operators. - Amends TCA Section 47-18-1602.

HB 0794 by *Ramsey (SB 1082 by *Dickerson)

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, allows premises authorized to serve wine to also serve high alcohol content beer. - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 3, Part 7 and Title 57, Chapter 4.

HB 0247 by *Tillis, Lamberth, Sherrell, Vaughan (SB 1100 by *Dickerson)

State Government - As introduced, establishes daylight saving time as the standard time in Tennessee, subject to authorization to do so from the United States Congress. - Amends TCA Section 4-1-401.

HB 0102 by *Hulsey (SB 0350 by *Briggs)

Taxes, Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, extends by one year the manner in which liquor-by-the-drink tax proceeds are distributed to local political subdivisions. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8; Title 9; Title 49; Title 57 and Title 67.

HB 0621 by *Hulsey (SB 0585 by *Lundberg)

Public Contracts - As introduced, prescribes certain requirements for the procurement of professional surveying services by a governmental entity. - Amends TCA Title 7 and Title 12, Chapter 4.

HB 0001 by *Staples (SB 0016 by *Dickerson, Akbari)

Gambling - As introduced, authorizes sports betting in this state only in jurisdictions that approve sports betting by local option election; imposes a 10 percent tax on gaming revenue; distributes 40 percent of the tax to the general fund for general appropriations, 30 percent to Tennessee colleges of applied technologies and community colleges for equipment and capital projects, and 30 percent to local governments for education and infrastructure; establishes the Tennessee gaming commission to regulate sports betting; authorizes the commission to collaborate with the Tennessee bureau of investigation for purposes of enforcement. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 14; Title 38; Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 5; Title 47, Chapter 18; Title 49 and Title 67.

HB 0071 by *Staples (SB 0181 by *Massey)

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, authorizes the sale of alcoholic beverages and beer for consumption on the premises of Zoo Knoxville during the zoo's regular operating hours. - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 4.

HB 1087 by *Bricken, Sanderson (SB 0569 by *Bowling)

Public Employees - As introduced, revises causes of action and damages under the Public Employee Political Freedom Act of 1980; requires court to sanction an employee for a frivolous suit under the Act. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 21 and Title 8, Chapter 50, Part 6.

State Full Committee Bill Review
8:30 AM Tuesday, 03/19/19 in 5th Floor Conference Room A

Transportation Committee

Tuesday, March 19, 2019- House Hearing Room III - 10:30 AM

Howell, Chair; Griffey, Vice-Chair;

Carr, Daniel, Dunn, Hardaway, Lamar, Potts, Russell, Towns, Weaver, Whitson

HB 0839 by *Lamberth, Miller (SB 1143 by *Akbari)

Driver Licenses - As introduced, prevents suspension of a driver license for failure to pay fines or costs imposed for a driving offense if the person is indigent or enters into payment plan; requires person be issued restricted driver license until moneys owed the court are fully paid. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 24, Part 1; Title 55, Chapter 50, Part 3 and Title 55, Chapter 50, Part 5.

HB 0076 by *Sexton C, Hodges (SB 1489 by *Bailey)

Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration - As introduced, authorizes military and memorial plates to be personalized; requires payment of a fee to defray the costs of designing and manufacturing the personalized plates. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4.

HB 0426 by *Crawford (SB 1387 by *Bell)

Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration - As introduced, authorizes certain off-highway vehicles that are capable of holding no more than four passengers to be registered as Class I vehicles for operation on county roads. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 3; Title 55, Chapter 4 and Title 55, Chapter 8.

HB 0732 by *Crawford (SB 0595 by *Lundberg)

Motor Vehicles - As introduced, expands the authorization to authorize, regulate, and control the commercial use of pedal carriages and rickshaws to any municipality or metropolitan government in the state and not just home rule municipalities and metropolitan governments. - Amends TCA Section 55-26-102.

HB 1267 by *Holt (SB 0617 by *Hensley)

Traffic Safety - As introduced, enacts the "Buffering Undo Regulatory Non-Compliance (BURN) Act," which requires local authorities to file certified copies of notices of violation or citations based solely upon evidence obtained from an unmanned traffic enforcement camera with the municipal court or county court. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 8.

HB 0297 by *Hill M (SB 0853 by *Crowe)

School Transportation - As introduced, enacts the STOP Act to authorize a sentence of imprisonment for not more than 11 months, 29 days for a conviction of not stopping for a school bus that is loading or unloading children; authorizes LEAs to install and operate an external video system for the detection and prosecution of such violations. - Amends TCA Title 10; Title 39; Title 40; Title 49 and Title 55, Chapter 8.

HB 1142 by *Ragan (SB 1383 by *Yager)

Motor Vehicles - As introduced, authorizes off-highway vehicles to be operated on a certain segment of State Route 116 in Anderson County. - Amends TCA Section 55-8-185.

HB 1252 by *Byrd (SB 0747 by *Hensley)

Highways, Roads and Bridges - As introduced, increases the safety light requirement for horse-drawn vehicles used on highways from either a battery-powered strobe light or two lanterns to both a battery-powered strobe light and two lanterns. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 9, Part 4.

HB 0164 by *Holsclaw, Freeman, Hazlewood (SB 0173 by *Swann)

Traffic Safety - As introduced, expands the current offense for talking on handheld devices while driving within marked school zones to talking on such devices on any road, highway, or street. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 10 and Title 55, Chapter 8.

HB 1107 by *Powell, Jernigan (SB 1346 by *Massey)

Public Records - As introduced, requires that personally identifying information contained in motor vehicle accident reports be treated as confidential information and restricted from public disclosure. - Amends TCA Title 10, Chapter 7, Part 5; Title 38; Title 40 and Title 55, Chapter 10, Part 1.

HB 0538 by *Howell (SB 1493 by *Bailey)

Motor Vehicles - As introduced, removes requirement that a towing firm wait 30 days to proceed to sell a vehicle taken into custody; makes other related revisions. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 16 and Title 55, Chapter 23.

HB 0181 by *Howell (SB 0044 by *Massey)

Highways, Roads and Bridges - As introduced, requires a county or municipality to publish its certified highway map on the county or municipality's website, which must be accessible to the public, no less than 30 days prior to the date of the public hearing on the map. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8; Title 54; Title 55 and Title 67.

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